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Claim Amendments

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A joining device for attaching a body, comprising:

a first body having a first wall with an inner side and extending substantially at a right angle to a second wall of a second body, into which said first body will be being inserted into said second body, said first wall having an inner side;

a plurality of detent boss disposed on bosses connected to said inner side of said first wall, and which can be said plurality of detent bosses each being pressed by force into a respective one of detent opening of openings formed in the second body by force, and said plurality of detent boss bosses being encircled by the second body in a pressed-in state; and

a plurality of connection device devices each disposed in said first body for exerting the force on a respective one of said detent ~~boss~~ bosses.

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Claim 2 (currently amended): The joining device according to claim 1, wherein said first body has a ~~spring~~ plurality of springs connected to said first wall and said plurality of detent ~~boss~~ is bosses are each disposed on said ~~spring~~ a respective one of said plurality of springs.

Claim 3 (currently amended): The joining device according to claim 2, wherein said ~~spring~~ is plurality of springs are disposed at an acute angle to the second wall.

Claim 4 (currently amended): The joining device according to claim 2, wherein said ~~spring~~ is plurality of springs are connected monobloc to said first wall.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The joining device according to claim 1, wherein the detent ~~opening~~ is a openings are sack hole ~~here~~ bores and said detent ~~boss~~ is bosses are configured for engaging the sack hole ~~here~~ bores.

Claim 6 (currently amended): The joining device according to claim 1, wherein said connection ~~device~~ is devices are selected from the group consisting of screws, pins and bolts.

Claim 7 (currently amended): The joining device according to claim 2, wherein said first body has a plurality of support

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~~wall walls~~ on an inside of said first wall, and substantially vertical to said first wall, and said plurality of connection device devices which ~~[[is]]~~ are disposed between said plurality of support wall walls and said ~~spring~~ plurality of springs can be screwed or inserted into said first body.

Claim 8 (currently amended): A joining device for attaching to a first body, which ~~can be~~ is inserted into a second body, the first body having a first wall extending substantially at a right angle to a second wall of the second body, the joining device comprising:

a plurality of detent boss ~~disposed on~~ bosses connected to an inner side of the first wall and can be said plurality of detent bosses each being pressed by force into a respective one of detent opening of openings formed in the second body by force, said plurality of detent boss bosses being encircled by the second body in a pressed-in state; and

a plurality of connection device devices each disposed in the first body for exerting the force on a respective one of said detent boss bosses.

Claim 9 (currently amended): The joining device according to claim 8, further comprising a ~~spring~~ plurality of springs

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connected to the first wall and said plurality of detent ~~bees~~
is bosses each being disposed on said-spring a respective one
of said plurality of springs.

Claim 10 (currently amended): The joining device according to
claim 9, wherein said ~~spring is~~ plurality of springs are
disposed at an acute angle to the second wall.

Claim 11 (currently amended): The joining device according to
claim 9, wherein said ~~spring is~~ plurality of springs are
connected monobloc to the first wall.

Claim 12 (currently amended): The joining device according to
claim 8, wherein the detent ~~opening is a~~ openings are sack
hole ~~here bores~~ and said detent ~~bees is~~ bosses are configured
for engaging the sack hole ~~here bores~~.

Claim 13 (currently amended): The joining device according to
claim 8, wherein said connection ~~device is~~ devices are
selected from the group consisting of screws, pins and bolts.

Claim 14 (currently amended): The joining device according to
claim 9, wherein the first body has a plurality of support
~~wall~~ walls on an inside of the first wall, and disposed
substantially vertical to the first wall, and said plurality

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of connection device devices which ~~[[is]]~~ are disposed between the plurality of support wall walls and said ~~spring~~ plurality of springs can be screwed or inserted into ~~said the~~ first body.

Claim 15 (currently amended): A kitchen appliance, comprising:

a first body having a first wall with an inner side and being a first housing part of the kitchen appliance;

a second body having a second wall with a plurality of detent opening openings formed therein and being a second housing part of the kitchen appliance, said first body being inserted into said second body, said first wall extending substantially at a right angle to said second wall of said second body; and

a joining device containing:

a plurality of detent boss ~~disposed on~~ bosses connected to said inner side of said first wall, and can be said plurality of detent bosses each being pressed by force into a respective one of said detent opening openings of the second body by force, and said plurality of detent boss bosses being encircled by the second body in a pressed-in state; and

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a plurality of connection device devices each disposed in
said first body for exerting the force on a respective
one of said detent boss bosses.

Claim 16 (original): The kitchen appliance according to claim
15, wherein said first body is a floor part, said first wall
is a floor plate, said second body is a sheathing part and
said second wall is a sheathing wall.